

# THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN

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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1935

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## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Ernest Walker was in Portland Wednesday.

B. Oscar Judkins of Wytopitlock is in town today.

Mrs. Charles Bean is working for Mrs. Leslie Davis.

E. C. Park attended Probate Court at South Paris Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King spent the week-end in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Den Kerckhoven are spending a few days in Boston.

Mrs. D. T. Durell and Mrs. C. W. Hall were in Lewiston Monday and Tuesday.

Asa Smith of Chatham spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith.

Mrs. Edith Grover is spending a few days at Farmington and Phillips, with relatives.

Miss Mary Sanborn and Miss Betty Edwards spent Friday and Saturday in Portland.

Group III of the M. E. Ladies Aid held a food sale and tea at the Church Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown, Gary, York, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert York spent the week-end at Rangeley.

George Hall of Lewiston has returned home after spending several weeks with his brother, Clarence Hall.

Mrs. Millie Clark has returned home after spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Forbes in Rumford.

Miss Kathryn Lowell has finished work at the Stowell MacGregor mill and Miss Kathryn Dailey is taking her place.

Mrs. John Carter returned to La. Loutre, Que., Wednesday after spending several weeks at her home in Middle Intervale.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanscom were called to Perry, Iowa, Tuesday by the death of Mrs. Hanscom's mother, Mrs. Be'knapp.

Mrs. Ruth Lord and Mrs. Hester Sanborn spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knights in Lebanon, N. H.

Mrs. Maude Sanborn, who has been in Bangor the past winter, is spending a short time at her home in Skillington. Mrs. Alma Mitchell is with her.

An eight-inch coat of gravel is to be placed on a section of the road in Mayville. The gas shovel is at the Lutton gravel pit near West Bethel and the gravel will be hauled from there.

Mrs. Lesmore Currier is a patient in the Maine General Hospital, Portland, where she submitted to surgery several days ago. She is improving and her condition is considered very favorable.

Miss Kathryn Herrick, a member of the senior class of Colby College, was a prominent role in the opera to be presented by members of the women's division on May 25 before the May Queen and her court.

A gas shovel was in use the first of the week on the West Bethel flat road, cutting the banks and grading the road so that the snow may work to better advantage in the winter on the hill near the Westleigh place.

In honor of her eleventh birthday Miss Elizabeth Gorman entertained several friends and schoolmates at her home Saturday afternoon, May 18, from 3 to 5 o'clock. The time was greatly enjoyed with games, followed by refreshments. Miss Elizabeth received many nice gifts. Those present were: Muriel Bean, Muriel Hall, Henrietta Heath, Rosalie George, Glenyce Swan, June Zuman, Ruth Walker, Carolyn Wright, Gary York, Francis Berry, Robert John, and Elden Greenleaf and the honor guest.

Opening of

BRINCK'S LUNCHEONETTE

Sunday, May 26

Special Dinner Chicken Pie

Strawberry Shortcake

## MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

Complete plans for the annual Memorial Day observance have not yet been made, but in general the program of previous years will be followed.

Union services will be held at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning. The pastor, Rev. P. J. Clifford, will preach, and the patriotic orders will attend in a body.

On Thursday morning, May 30, Rev. P. J. Clifford will deliver the address at East Bethel.

In the afternoon, the patriotic orders, school children, and Boy and Girl Scouts will march to the monument and the hall. The West Paris band will be in attendance. The Gettysburg address will be given at the monument by Henry Hastings, and the speaker at the hall will be Rev. H. T. Wallace, pastor of the Congregational Church.

## ALBANY TO RENOVATE TOWN HOUSE-SONGO ROAD

At the special town meeting in Albany Tuesday morning it was decided to use the third class road money this year in getting the road surface in suitable condition for tarring by next year. It is understood that if necessary next year's third class road apportionment will be available for this year's work.

## LEGION SHOW CAST SUPPER GUESTS WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The American Legion Minstrels which were so well received by Bethel and Andover audiences were also enjoyed by a well filled house at Errol, N. H., on Friday evening, May 17.

Last week in the write-up of the program, through a mistake mention was not made of the fine trumpet solo by Dale Thurston. This was one of the most highly enjoyed numbers, as was evident by the generous applause which it received each time it was rendered.

To show their appreciation to those who took part in helping to make this show a success, the Geo. A. Mundt Post gave a supper for them on Wednesday evening, May 22. This delicious supper was served by the Auxiliary to a party of forty, after which a pleasant social evening was spent with cards, pool and dancing.

Not only has the show been a great success financially, but everyone has enjoyed themselves immensely during the time it has taken to produce it, and it has done much to promote a feeling of friendliness and good fellowship among the participants.

## FRESHMAN PARTY

The members of the Freshman Class of Gould Academy were entertained at the home of Talbot H. Crane on Friday evening, May 17. After a treasure hunt, a series of guessing games, hokum, and contests of skill, prizes were awarded to each member of the winning team, captain Eleanor Beck, Mary Stearns, Ina Bean, Robert Kenniston, Nancy Philbrook, Vivian Berry, Edward Robertson, Mellen Kimball, Donald Luxton, Elizabeth Lyon, and Archer Waterhouse. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by Talbot Crane, Mellen Kimball, Donald Luxton, Haynes Noyes and Archer Waterhouse.

The class members present were: George Adams, Bryant Bean, Ina Bean, Eleanor Beck, Robert Beck, Vivian Berry, Irene Blake Jessie Brooks, Donald Brown, Marlon Brown, Talbot Crane, Alton Cross, Helen Crouse, Helen Gillis, Arthur Haselton, Florice Grover, Phyllis Hunt, Ethel Jodrey, Royden Keddy, Robert Kenniston, Mellen Kimball, John King, Frank Littlehale, Donald Luxton, Elizabeth Lyon, Haynes Noyes, Nancy Philbrook, Edward Robertson, Geraldine Stanley, Mary Stearns, Christie Thurston, Elaine Warren, Archer Waterhouse.

Mumps, German measles, and chicken pox are prevalent throughout the town.

## GOULD TRACKMEN TRIM NORWAY

Stiles, Browne and Grover High Point Scorers for Gould

The Gould track team journeyed to Norway last Thursday where, copping first place in nine of the twelve events, the Gould lads defeated their old rivals, 60½-47½. Dwight Stiles, with three first places, was high point man of the meet, contributing 15 points to the Gould total. Bob Browne took two first places and tied for a third to add 10½, and Captain Walter Grover contributed two firsts in the weights for a total of 10. Outstanding in the running events was the brilliant half-mile run by McMillan to cop first in the 880. The summary:

100 Yard Dash—Stiles, Gould; Gatley, Norway; Wiley, Norway; Time: 11 seconds.

220 Yard Dash—Stiles, Gould; Gatley, Norway; Wiley, Norway; Time: 23.4 seconds.

440 Yard Dash—Browne, Gould; Wiley, Norway; Smith, Norway; Time: 61 seconds.

880 Yard Dash—McMillan, Gould; Pike, Norway; Grover, Norway; Time: 2 min. 15 seconds.

1 Mile Run—Pike, Norway; Gilbert, Gould; Wilds, Norway; Time: 5 min. 20 seconds.

Pole Vault—Gallant, Norway; Philbrook, Gould; tie Smith, Norway—Brown, Gould; Height: 8 feet, 6 inches.

High Jump—Smith—Thurston, Gould; tie; third, Bartlett, Norway; Height: 5 feet.

Broad Jump—Stiles, Gould; Bartlett, Norway; Thurston, Gould; Distance: 19 feet, 3 inches.

120 Low Hurdles—Browne, Gould; Bartlett, Norway; Moore, Gould; Time: 15.2 seconds.

Discus—Grover, Gould; Marston, Norway; Wight, Gould; Distance: 105 feet, 10 inches.

Shot Put—Won by Hunt, Norway; Smith, Norway; Marston, Norway; Distance: 36 feet, 1 inch.

Hammer—Grover, Gould; Wight, Gould; Marston, Norway; Distance: 117 feet, 5½ inches.

## HERBERT BEAN ELECTED PRINCIPAL OLD ORCHARD H. S.

At a meeting of the Old Orchard school board Tuesday night, Herbert R. Bean, principal of the Bethel grammar school, was elected principal of the high school of that place.

Mr. Bean is well fitted for his new position. He is a graduate of Gould Academy, and continued his education in Bates College and Yale University.

He is completing his sixth year in the present position, coming here from North Waterford. He has been scoutmaster of the local troop since its organization in 1931, and has been prominent in American Legion activities, being State Commander of that body at the present time.

## OXFORD COUNTY TRACK MEET AT HEBRON, SATURDAY

Coach Fossett will take the following squad to the Oxford County Track Meet to be held at Hebron, Saturday, May 25:

100 yd. dash—D. Stiles, R. Burris.

220 yd. dash—D. Stiles, R. Burris.

440 yd. dash—R. Browne, W. Grover.

880 yd. run—F. McMillan.

1 Mile run—A. Gilbert, E. Holt.

High Hurdles—H. Thurston, R. Brine.

Low Hurdles—R. Browne, R. Moore.

High Jump—H. Thurston, C. Smith, R. Brine.

Broad Jump—D. Stiles, H. Thurston.

Pole Vault—C. Philbrook, R. Browne.

Shot Put—W. Wight, W. Grover, D. Thurston.

Discus—W. Grover, W. Wight, S. Chase.

Hammer—W. Grover, W. Wight, D. Thurston.

Javelin—W. Wight, D. Stiles, W. Grover.

Freshman Relay, ½ mile—B. Bean, C. Kimball, A. Waterhouse, B. Robertson, R. Brine.

## TIBBETTS—MASSEY

Bethel folk are extending congratulations to Ashby Tibbetts, whose marriage to Miss Gilbert I. Massey took place at Portsmouth, N. H., Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Tibbetts is the son of Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts of Bethel, a graduate of Gould Academy in 1931 and a senior at Bowdoin College. Mrs. Tibbetts is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Florian Massey of 17 Spring Street, Brunswick.

## SANDY MacDONALD GUEST ARTIST IN MAINE RECITAL NEXT WEEK

A recital of the Gould Academy instrumental department, assisted by pupils of the Maine School of Music of Lewiston, including pupils from Lewiston, Livermore Falls, Rumford and Bryant Pond, will be given at the William Bingham Gymnasium on Thursday evening, May 30.

As an added attraction, the guest artist will be Sandy MacDonald, famous imitator of Harry Lauder. He will be accompanied by Lawrence A. Cerri.

## W. C. T. U. CONVENTION HELD AT WEST PARIS

The 48th annual convention of the Oxford County Women's Christian Temperance Union was held at the West Paris Universalist Church on Friday, May 17, with the following program:

Morning  
Devotional Service, Rev. Elizabeth Avikainen, West Paris.

Convention called to order  
Adoption of program  
Address of Welcome,  
Mrs. Jennie Perkins, West Paris Response.

Mrs. Lottie Bartlett, Bethel Roll Call  
Report of Corresponding Secretary  
Report of Treasurer and Auditor  
Appointment of Committees  
Temperance Literature, Keeping Posted.

Miss Elsie Hannaford, Portland County Song  
Reports of Directors  
Noontide Prayer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Morton Adjourn for Dinner  
Afternoon  
Executive meeting  
Devotional.

Rev. Eleanor Forbes, West Paris County President's Message  
Music and offering  
Memorial Service.

Mrs. Ida M. Colby, South Paris Brief Address,  
Mrs. Gertrude Stevens Leavett Editor of "Star in the East" Portland

Reception of White Ribbon Recruits  
Children's Hour  
Reports of Committees  
Election of Officers  
Reading and adopting minutes  
Adjournment.

W. C. T. U. Benediction—Members Evening  
Hymn  
Scripture and Prayer,  
Rev. A. E. Maxwell.

Music  
Motion Pictures,  
Almon Bisbee, Sebago Lake Address,  
Rev. Adah M. Hagler Vice Pres., Illinois W. C. T. U.

Offertory  
Singing  
W. C. T. U. Benediction

## BETHEL TO INVAD BRYANT POND ON MEMORIAL DAY

On Memorial Day Bethel will go to Bryant Pond to play them an exhibition game, with Bryant Pond returning the game at Bethel the following Saturday, June 2.

## CUCUMBER ACREAGE SOLICITED HERE

A representative of the Forest City Packing Corporation, with O. K. Clifford of South Paris, was in town today calling on farmers interested in planting cucumbers for the pickle factory at South Paris.

Those not interviewed can get particulars of the proposition by getting in touch with the packing company at Portland or South Paris, or with Mr. Clifford who is a member of the committee of the Chamber of Commerce on this project.

## NEWS

of the WEEK

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## PERSONALLY DELIVERED VETO

Washington—The President started veterans of the press as well as veterans of the war by announcing that instead of sending his veto of the bonus bill to the Capitol he would deliver it in person. The Chief Executive spiked all uncertainty about his opposition to the Palman Bonus Bill to pay veterans \$2,200,000,000 in "printing-press" greenbacks, even gave reporters permission to quote him directly: "The Bonus Bill is going to be vetoed. I am going to veto it with as strong language as I have at my command. And I hope with all my heart that the veto will be sustained." Not only was the direct quotation somewhat of a precedent, but the personal delivery of the veto message made history. No President has ever delivered his own veto message to Congress. The next move will be up to Congress; the House may vote to override the veto; in the Senate the vote will be a close one. Senator Elmer Thomas, untiring bonus champion, says "I have no illusions about the situation."

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## POPPY DAY

"Wear a poppy." This request will be made of all of us on Poppy Day, Saturday, May 25, and who, understanding the significance of the small red flower, can refuse?

The poppy is the flower that gave the only touch of life and beauty to the World War battle fields and cemeteries. It is the flower of the war dead, those young men who gave their lives in the country's service, and we are asked to wear it in their memory.

None of us with a dime in our pockets and a touch of human kindness in our hearts can refuse this request. We can only honor the dead, but these living victims of the war are still with us. We can help them.

The Poppy Day requests will be made to us by the American Legion Auxiliary through several young ladies. The money obtained by the sale of these poppies is used entirely for welfare work. They were obtained from the Tugus Soldiers' Home where they were made by disabled World War veterans. Poppy making provides employment for needy veterans through the winter and spring months, enabling them to help support themselves and their families.

The observance of Poppy Day here will be part of the annual nation-wide observance of Poppy Day, during which millions of Americans will pay tribute to the memory of the war dead by wearing these memorial flowers.

## REBEKAHS ENJOY SPECIAL PROGRAM

A delicious supper was served by the brothers of Sunset Rebekah Lodge, to the Rebekahs, their families, and special guests last Monday evening at 6.30.

After the regular meeting a very pleasing program was enjoyed in honor of Past Noble Grands and Charter Members.

Original Poem, Mrs. Bertha Mundt Solo, encore.

Arthur Dudley Violin duet with piano, encore.

Madelyn Dudley, Elizabeth Lyon Mildred Lyon, piano

Vocal duet, encore.

Arlene Greenleaf, Miss McKee Solo, encore.

Katherine Dalley

## BEAR RIVER 4-H CLUB STARTS FLOWER GARDEN

Bear River 4-H Club of North Newry has started a flower garden at the North Newry corner. At their last meeting the members prepared the soil for the seeds. This is a splendid idea for 4-H clubs. This is the only club in Oxford County that has a flower garden.



## EAST BETHEL

G. K. Hastings and William Hastings went to Umbagog Lake Sunday to see the canoeists negotiate the rapids in Rapid River. They were disappointed as the canoeists were unable to make the rapids and reach Umbagog Lake.

Miss Iva Bartlett was home over the week end.

Miss Alta Brooks went home Friday and is ill with German measles. Mrs. Howe is substituting for her in the primary room a few days.

Bernard Harrington has been plowing and harrowing for J. H. Swan the past week. Mrs. Harrington and children spend the days with her sister, Mrs. Willis Bartlett, who has been quite ill.

Albert Swan and Ernest Swan have been sowing oats and grass seed for J. H. Swan, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Haines, now and walks down to his farm nearly every day.

Mrs. Ceylon Kimball and Mrs. Robert Hastings and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Laurence Kimball.

Sunday guests of Mrs. William Hastings were Mr. and Mrs. George Cole, Leo Cole and William Yates of Greenwood City.

Mrs. Captola Knight has finished work at Mrs. Olson's and returned home.

## GREENWOOD CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. William Morgan and family of Bryant Pond and Mrs. Laura Seames and family and Will Seames of Howe Hill were at D. R. Cole's, recently.

Miss Mary Martin called on Mrs. Matthew Green at Bryant Pond on Sunday evening.

Raymond Andrews and Francis Penbody of Gorham, N. H., were in the place recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings and daughter, Cathryn, of West Paris were at Ross Martin's, Sunday.

Those receiving 100% in spelling at Greenwood Center School last week were Lillian Cole and Dwight and LeRoy Martin, Jr.

## GREENWOOD CITY

Walter Robinson of Andover has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Roy Millett, this week.

Lindwood Emmons of Locke Mills called on friends here on Saturday. Jerry Cox of North Norway was a caller at A. M. Whitman's on Sunday.

Mrs. Fay Morgan was in Lewiston on Saturday.

Supt. E. R. Bowdoin of Bethel and all Greenwood teachers were at the schoolhouse here on Saturday for a meeting.

Miss Delphina Whitman and Jerry Cox were in Norway, Saturday evening.

Miss Valerie Ring, Miss Lillian Niskanen and John Ring were at Auburn, Saturday night.

Lester Morgan of Tuell Town is doing carpenter work for R. B. Morgan.

## Rowe Hill, Greenwood

Christian Endeavor Meeting was held at Greenwood Centre last Tuesday evening at the schoolhouse. There was special music and special poems.

Mrs. Stella Ring returned from Shelburne and Gorham where she has been visiting relatives and friends for a week. Mr. Ring returned last Wednesday.

Mrs. Margaret Bryant has returned from caring for Mrs. Lester Cole and small son at Greenwood Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant were at Newton Bryant's last Sunday.

Colby Ring is painting the store at Bryant Pond recently leased by George Cummings of Herbert Ring.

Mrs. Mabel Dunham and Mrs. Margaret Bryant attended Grange at Bryant Pond last Saturday evening and also called at the cabin where the young folks were having their usual Saturday evening radio broadcast and social.

Ivy Hanson is again working in the woods at Greenwood Center. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ring were at the place here after goods, recently.

## BLOTTERING PAPER

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## BRYANT POND

Franklin Grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening with a large attendance. There were visitors from Norway and Gilead. The first and second degrees were conferred on a class of 14 from Franklin Grange and two from Norway. A ladies' degree team has been organized and they are practicing to give the third and fourth degrees June 1st. Norway Grange invited Franklin Grange to meet with them on May 27th.

Jefferson Chapter, O. E. S., held its stated meeting on Friday evening with a good attendance. After listening to a program, refreshments of ice cream, sherbet and cake were served.

The Garden Club met with Mrs. Florence Bean, Thursday, May 16. Owing to the cold weather there were only a few present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. B. R. Billings.

The grade schools are rehearsing an operetta to be put on Saturday, May 25.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Alton Bacon spent the week end at their cottage at Harpswell.

Miss Alice Chandler spent the week end with her mother in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Judkins went to Farmachena, last Saturday, where they will remain for the summer.

Rev. and Mrs. James McKillop have gone to Connecticut after Miss Beatrice Stoetzer, who has been at home for a vacation.

The P. T. A. are rehearsing for a Minstrel Show to be put on in the near future.

## Perkins Valley—Woodstock

Flora Swinton has crocheted a baby set, which she is sending to the Sears Roebuck contest. It looks very pretty.

Norman Perham caught a nice speckled trout in Lake Christopher, which weighed 2½ pounds.

Arthur Thurlow has been plowing for Nelson Perham.

Jennie Libby has been moved back to Maud Benson's. She has been staying at Walter Appleby's for awhile.

John Cox has work on the railroad.

Helen Poland is at Hebron caring for Mrs. Marshall Keene and baby.

George Appleby is visiting his children here.

Ellsworth Lawrence is working for Maurice Benson on the truck.

Buater and Vernon Poland have been working in the lumber yard at A. M. Andrews.

Carlton Gammon is driving truck for Al Hendrickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurlow and Mary Hendrickson visited this week end with friends and relatives in Nashua, N. H., and South Lancaster, Mass.

Arthur Beck is stopping at Leon Poland's.

Charles Silver has been painting at Bryant Pond with Charles Clifford.

Several attended the variety shower at Mrs. Alden Redding's of Redding, Saturday night, tendered to Miss Violet Green in honor of her approaching marriage to Mr. Adelbert Bowen of Redding.

Alva Hendrickson and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Kneeland and Frank Perkins were in Portland Tuesday.

Arlene Lefoy is working for Ernest Dudley on Stearns Hill.

Keith Johnson of South Paris called to see his grandfather, Will Johnson, Sunday.

Oliver Lawrence has been visiting his son Bert and family in Gorham, N. H., a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Verrill and baby Jacklyn called at Nelson Perham's Saturday.

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## WEST PARIS

The annual Fair and Field Day of the West Paris High School will be held on the Athletic Field, Saturday. Ice cream, hot dogs, popcorn and candy will be on sale. Mystery packages will be sold.

Mrs. Guy A. Smith spent the week end at Bangor and Bucksport. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson of Cambridge, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Flavin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Halliday and son Alfred of Waterville were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tuell.

The Young People's Christian Union join the Norway Union at a picnic supper at Hungry Hollow, Friday evening. Sunday evening the Union went to Canton as guests of the Canton Y. P. C. U.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes read a letter of thanks at the morning service Sunday, from Rev. Hannah J. Powell, Friendly House, Sunburst, N. C., for the 15 dresses for the girls of her summer school made by the young women of the Universalist society and given by members of the society.

## SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Lester Twitchell of South Paris was a Sunday afternoon caller of Mrs. Harlan Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Pence of Mechanic Falls were week end guests of her mother, Mrs. Angie Robbins.

Several in this vicinity attended the Advent church school entertainment Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis visited her mother at Bridgton Sunday.

Although it is nearly time for the apple and pear orchards to be at their loveliest, hardly a blossom is visible as so very few survived the severe cold winter of a year ago.

Harlan Andrews and son, Stanley, with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Penley of Auburn, were at Haines' Landing Sunday.

Frank Davis is confined to his home with chicken-pox. People tell us this is only a child's disease, but in many cases the older ones have the disease just the same.

At this time your South Woodstock correspondent wishes to express her appreciation and interest to the Evangelical Broadcasting Service of Oxford County. We shall be listening at the same time again next week.

Mrs. Eva Ponley of Auburn is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jessie Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean and daughter, Elsie, were at Athens on Monday.

The Willing Workers met at the Church last Wednesday, May 15. Quite a large number were present. Two quilts were tacked. After the business meeting the members of the 4-H Club demonstrated packing lunch boxes and the correct setting of a table. The next meeting of the Willing Workers will be held Wednesday, May 29, with the president, Mrs. Jessie Abbott, at her home at North Paris.

James Packard of West Paris, who is in very poor health is with his daughter, Mrs. Stanley Andrews.

Miss Doris Coffin of North Woodstock spent Thursday evening with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Barrett.

A careful test by one of the state experiment stations revealed that shavings are more than twice as efficient as straw in keeping eggs clean in the nest.

## NORTH PARIS

A very interesting meeting of the Farm Bureau was held Friday, May 17 on "Dental Hygiene," with Miss Dorothy Bryant of Augusta as speaker. There was a good attendance. The next meeting has been postponed to June 13. The subject will be "Bread Making."

There was a small attendance at the entertainment given by the 4-H boys' club Thursday evening, but sufficient funds were raised for immediate expenses.

The services at the Federated Church will be held at 9.15 a. m. through the coming summer, with Sunday School following. Rev. A. E. Maxell gave a very inspiring sermon last Sunday from the text, "And your soul shall be as a watered garden." A business meeting was held after Sunday School and the following officers were elected:

Supt.—Mrs. Alfred Andrews  
Asst. Supt.—Mrs. Erwin Ellingwood

Sec.-Treas.—Mrs. William Littlehale  
Supt. of Cradle Roll—Mrs. Erwin Ellingwood

Mrs. William Littlehale, Mrs. Erwin Ellingwood and Harold Andrews were appointed to look over the library and get the books in condition so they can be used.

Mrs. Joseph Ellingwood spent several days last week with Mrs. Walter Maxim on Paris Hill, helping care for her son Wayne, who is ill with pneumonia.

W. O. Richardson has opened his roadside stand at Trap Corner. He is boarding at Charles Childs'.

Mrs. Alice Turner of Sumner who has been very ill with pneumonia, was moved to the home of Mrs. Joseph Ellingwood Monday. Mrs. Turner is gaining slowly. She is able to sit up for a short time each day.

Mrs. Howard Ellingwood assisted the Ellingwood girls with the housework while their mother, Mrs. Joseph Ellingwood, was away last week.

Mrs. Alice Coffin called on her cousin, Mrs. Woodbury Thayer, and family on Paris Hill Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coffin were in Norway Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw and daughter of South Paris were Sunday callers at Charles Childs'.

Charles Ridley, Birchard Lowe and Wilfred Hart were all home over the week end from their work at Wilson Mills.

Mrs. Clarence Coffin attended teachers' meeting at Greenwood City Saturday.

Mrs. Davenport of Berlin, N. H., is assisting Mrs. George Blake with her housework while her father, William Brown, is ill.

Everett Blake and friend of Berlin, N. H., were home over the week end.

George Blake and Lamont Brown of Berlin, N. H., called on their father, William Brown, Saturday.

Mrs. D. H. Perkins attended the W. C. T. U. Convention at West Paris Friday and gave the welcome address.

Misses Madlyn Bell and Geraldine Merchant spent the week end at their homes at South Paris and Farmington.

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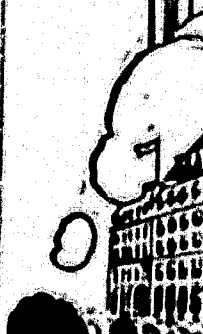
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Ladies and gentlemen to announce that you will be at this same station weekly speaker, Bethel. There will be a few seconds before ready, owing to some have been made; patience. This is the announcer and Evangelical Broad of Oxford County. The report of this be forwarded to our per, The Citizen, I (Mr. Brooks at the) A hearty and cheerful listeners, out of this morning. I whether the weather cold; sunshiny stormy, if we have shine of Jesus Christ. I am going to the most noted in this world has even blew their trumpet pert training and great master music. Joash. You will find a light account in Book of Judges; the seventh Chapters. T in the seventh. P when I have finished. There are six about this lesson to call your careful I. Spirituality of The Jews had been ed of God while in their worship. T a strong people. O pected them and f their land.

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Ladies and gentlemen, we wish to announce that in another moment you will be listening from this same station to our regular weekly speaker, D. S. Brooks of Bethel. There will be a lapse of a few seconds before we shall be ready, owing to some changes that have been made; so kindly have patience. This is "Will B. True," the announcer and soloist, of the Evangelical Broadcasting Service of Oxford County. A stenographer's report of this broadcast will be forwarded to our local newspaper, The Citizen, for publication.

(Mr. Brooks at the microphone:) A hearty and cheery greeting to all my listeners, out there on "the air," this morning. It matters little whether the weather is warm or cold; sunshiny or cloudy and stormy, if we have the true, sunshiny of Jesus Christ in our souls.

I am going to speak, briefly, of the most noted band of musicians this world has ever known. They blew their trumpets under the expert training and leadership of that great master musician, Sir Gideon Joash. You will find this most delightful account recorded in the Book of Judges: the sixth and seventh Chapters. The climax comes in the seventh. Please turn to it, when I have finished speaking.

There are six notable features about this lesson to which I would call your careful attention:

I. Spirituality was at a low tide. The Jews had been signally blessed of God while they were loyal in their worship. They had become a strong people. Other nations respected them and feared to invade their land.

II. Multitudes began serving idols. Political and temporal prosperity usually has the effect of drawing men's hearts away from God. Those Jewish merchants brought home from their trading expeditions (to heathen countries), little images, — likenesses of the "god, Baal." It meant the downfall of the people for they were delighted with the miniature "souvenirs." They demanded more; and, still more; — paying goodly prices for such attractive ornaments. It is true that whatsoever becomes attractive to the "eye" demands the worship of the "heart." The soul of that once holy people took up with idol worship. It is not logical to say that holiness and sin can dwell simultaneously in the heart of man. They broke off their allegiance to Jehovah; and, what happened?

III. The people became destitute of bread. Since they had let down their standard and joined hands with "idolaters," they were no longer feared. Their "new associates in sin" at once became their enemies; stealing from them until Israel lost their cattle, and their grain and fruit; very little nourish-

ing food remained in all the land. They were practically starving: multitudes subsisting on wild herbs and the bark of trees. And yet their deluded minds dwelt upon the superstition that that old idol would, somehow, save them. Let us not be too severe in our criticism of the savages, inhabiting the dark corners of the earth, engaged in their cannibalistic ceremonies, as long as we harbor false gods and worship them. Can we honestly say that we have never turned our backs upon the Lord?

IV. Gideon was faithful to Jehovah. His father's "house" had turned to idolatry. But, he, alone, of that family, maintained his loyalty to the true God. His struggle for temporal existence was quite severe; although he had saved a part of his flock, and a little flour by hiding these treasures behind the jutting rocks. His home was only a cave but his heart was reverent toward God; and "he waited for the arm of the Lord" to be revealed. "An angel visited him, and strengthened him for a mighty work. The "Church of God" need not be disheartened: for God hears the prayer of His weakest child, as it sends up its "agonized cry" to Him for help.

V. Conscripted of a mighty host. Gideon sent out a call for volunteers to drive out the thieves that encamped on the plain in such vast numbers that they could not be counted. The panic-struck army officers, there in Israel, realized something unusual was about to happen, from the startling summons for help. Their hearts were "cold" toward Jehovah so they did not comprehend the real meaning of Gideon's request. However, they sounded an alarm throughout the borders of Israel, and conscripted a vast army of untrained men; and presented them to Gideon. Then, those cowards "took to their heels," and we never hear from them again. O, what an interesting Book is the Bible! You do not need to search outside of sacred history to find a story to hold you spell-bound. Read why 31,700 men returned to their homes, and failed to do service for their country.

VI. But, Gideon "tested out" three hundred real men. Their hearts were musical in their praise to the Almighty. They remembered to bring their trumpets with them, and their torches and pitchers. They marched down to the sleeping host of the Midianites in the darkness; and when Gideon "flashed fire" from his pitcher, the band struck up its music. It was the note of wonderful and glorious victory! Bless God, forever! Amen.

An analysis of yearly records of 68,000 cows in Iowa dairy herd improvement associations, showed that cows freshening in June were the lowest producers and those freshening in November were the highest producers. There was a progressive decline in production of cows freshening each month from November to June and a progressive increase from June to November.

## BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange met in regular session Saturday evening, May 18 with Worthy Master P. O. Brinck in the chair. The following officers, pro tem, were appointed: Gate Keeper, Fred Wight; Assistant Steward, C. F. Saunders; L. A. S., Bertha Davis. Lodge opened in form and minutes of last meeting were read. After a short business session programs were presented by the captains of the contest as follows:

**Robert Davis' Side**  
Chorus, Battle Hymn of Republic  
Roll Call, Quotations  
Reading, Fred Kilgore  
Original Essay, Bertha Davis  
Reading, Fred Wight  
Instrumental Music, Carrie French  
Recitation, S. P. Davis  
Reading, R. M. Bean  
Reading, Amy Bennett  
Vocal Solo, P. O. Brinck  
Recitation, Carrie Wight  
Recitation, P. O. Brinck  
Joke, Amy Bennett  
Original Essay on Mothers' Day, Ida Wight  
Recitation, S. P. Davis  
Instrumental Music, Robert Davis  
Song, Star Spangled Banner, Chorus

Reading, F. W. Wight  
Patriotic Tableau  
Original Poem, Carrie Wight  
**Saunders' Side**  
Roll Call, Quotations  
Instrumental Music, Bro. and Sis. L. E. Wight  
Reading, Pearl Kilgore  
Solo, Etta Brinck  
Original Poem, Etta Brown  
Instrumental Music, C. F. Saunders  
Original Poem, Daniel Wight  
Recitation, F. I. French  
Reading, Bertha Bean

Song, America, Chorus  
Reading, Frances Davis  
Reading, F. I. French  
Reading, Bertha Bean  
Solo, Etta Brinck  
Instrumental Music, violin and piano, Bro. and Sister L. E. Wight  
Reading, Bertha Bean  
Recitation, Ella Brown  
Reading, F. I. French  
Joke, C. F. Saunders  
Reading, Frances Davis  
Solo, Etta Brinck  
Song, Chorus  
Next regular meeting, June 1, will be Children's Night. There were 22 members present.

## NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Brooks of Bethel called at L. E. Wight's on business Monday night.

Mrs. Sadie Allen and friend are spending a few weeks in Newry. Miss Ramona Morton has finished work at Upton and is at home.

Earle F. Wildes was a guest of Daniel Wight, Friday night. The whist party held at Poplar Tavern Friday night was well attended there being seven tables in play. The Ladies Aid served refreshments.

The play at the church Monday night of last week was a financial success. Tuesday night the players went to Upton where they put on their entertainment again.

Don't forget the dance at Newry Corner, Friday evening, May 24.

Miss Sweeney of Errol, N. H., is assisting with the work at Mrs. F. W. Wight's.

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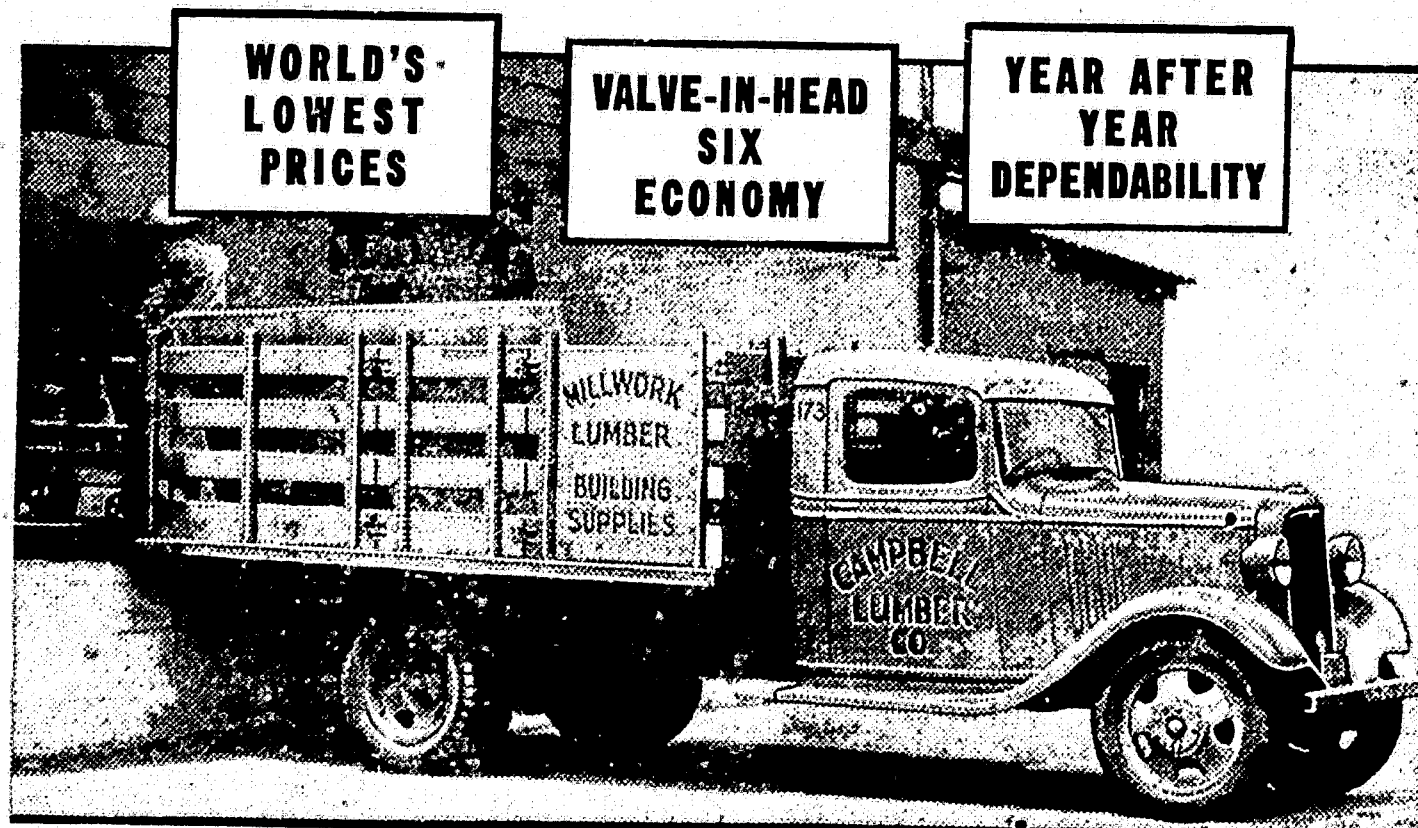
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## BETHEL NEEDS

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## Divers in Tropics Fear

### Manta Will Devour Them

Divers in the tropics avoid the  
manta, holding to the traditional  
story that the giant ray will engulf  
a man and slowly devour him. Such,  
however, seems to be mythology.  
The manta is dangerous when  
wounded, and can be taken only by  
harpoon after a hard battle of several  
hours, says Popular Mechanics  
Magazine.

The cow fish has a coat of armor  
consisting of hardened scales which  
form a bony box from which the  
jaws, fins and tail can be moved  
freely. The name is applied be-  
cause of small horns in front of its  
eyes. The porcupine fish is one of  
the most grotesque members of the  
finny tribe, being of olive color and  
spotted with black dots. Armed  
with sharp-pointed spines, it is diffi-  
cult to handle without being in-  
jured. Like blow fish, which also  
are found in the gulf, porcupine fish  
are capable of inhaling air or water  
to form a balloon-like appearance to  
frighten enemies.

Although a small fish, generally  
running about six or seven inches in  
size, the bat fish looks the least of  
any like a fish. It appears to be a  
toad, but has spine-like scales and a  
spiny dorsal fin.

While the drum fish is not exact-  
ly a queer specimen, its powerful  
jaws hold a set of mill-like teeth  
with remarkable crushing force.  
Schools of drums, from three to four  
feet in length and weighing from 40  
to 60 pounds each, can make short  
work of a small oyster reef. When  
young they are striped like a zebra.  
Later they become a dusty color. A  
large female will lay 6,000,000 eggs.

## Roman Emperor Let Month of November Retain Name

If the Roman senate had had its  
way November would be Tiberius.  
The senate, in the time he ruled the  
Roman world, proposed, as his birth-  
day fell in that month, to honor him  
by giving it his name. Julius and  
Augustus had had months named  
for them, and the senate thought  
Tiberius, who succeeded Augustus,  
equally deserving. But he declined.  
Perhaps he had a sense of humor.  
"No, Concept Fathers," he said,  
"what would you do if we had thir-  
teen Caesars?"

Tiberius evidently was looking  
ahead, and wisely, too, for the line  
of Roman emperors lengthened out  
to more than thirteen. Thus it was  
that the month retained its old  
name, "Novem," the ninth.

Our own Anglo-Saxon ancestors  
called it the wind month. They  
knew what they were about, for it  
is a month of raw, cold winds, al-  
though in this latitude, we often  
have in November stretches of  
mild, pleasant weather.

Still, it is the month when peo-  
ple batter down the hatches; stop  
all the chills and crannies by which  
the cold might enter; to see that the  
fuel pile is high; to get out heavy  
clothes, and to prepare for the win-  
ter which November's Manta and its  
surries of snow announce.—Cincin-  
nati Enquirer.

## Stuff'n' Dates by Ned Moore



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## ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Dinner  
Pails, Dividend Checks and Tax  
Bills of Every Individual, Nation-  
al and International Problems.  
Inseparable from Local Welfare.

One of the principal questions of  
the time is, "What does industry  
think of the New Deal?" You can  
find business men who are opposed  
to the New Deal, and you can find  
ones who are for it, but a genuine  
consensus of opinion has been con-  
spicuously absent.

During the last few weeks at  
least a partial answer to the potent  
question has been afforded. Two  
distinct sources have provided im-  
portant, if conflicting evidence, on  
the attitude of large and middle-  
sized industrialists toward the ex-  
traordinary acts of the Roosevelt  
regime.

One source is the United States  
Chamber of Commerce which, in  
the past, has pursued a vague,  
fence-straddling course in discuss-  
ing political matters. The Cham-  
ber is not, as some believe, made up  
of the largest industrialists of the  
country—few heads of America's  
vast national and international cor-  
porations belong to it or attend its  
meetings. Its membership consists  
principally of middle-sized indus-  
trialists. The other day it convened  
for its annual meeting—and its  
members went on record as being  
aggressively and bitterly opposed  
to the New Deal in practically every  
major particular.

Heads of the Chamber sought to  
temper the Chamber's resolutions,  
asked for a policy of moderation,  
but they were snowed under with  
the wrath of the delegates. Out of  
a literal uproar, the most exciting  
in the Chamber's history, came res-  
olutions placing the body on record  
as being opposed, without the  
slightest qualification, to the Ad-  
ministration's Social Security Bill,  
the Public Utility Act, most of the  
principal provisions of the Banking  
Act, extension of NRA (save tempo-  
rarily and in a highly modified  
form), the proposed AAA amend-  
ments which would give the Sec-  
retary of Agriculture sweeping  
powers over processors and pro-  
ducers, and all pending labor leg-  
islation. Only New Deal measures  
to gain approval were such rela-  
tively unimportant ones as recip-  
rocal trade pacts, direct subsidies  
for shipping and retirement of sub-  
marginal lands from production.

It is a significant fact that two  
years ago President Roosevelt ad-  
dressed the Chamber personally, a  
year ago sent it a conciliatory mes-  
sage. This year he "cut it dead." Thus, the break between the Ad-  
ministration and the type of indus-  
trialists who make up the Chamber  
seems complete.

Second source of evidence on busi-  
ness' attitude toward the New Deal  
came from an industrial organiza-  
tion of a rather different nature  
than the Chamber—the Department  
of Commerce's Business Advisory  
and Planning Council. This group  
is much smaller in membership than

the Chamber, is much bigger in the  
light of the corporations it repre-  
sents. It consists of only Class A  
industrialists, such as American  
Telephone's President Gifford, Gen-  
eral Electric's President Swope, U.  
S. Steel's President Taylor, Chase  
National Bank's President Aldrich.  
Its members meet often and inform-  
ally with the President, represent  
about all the contact with Ameri-  
can industry he has.

From the Council, through the  
White House, came a report giving  
almost unqualified endorsement to  
the New Deal, which the President  
produced as an antidote to the  
Chamber of Commerce's attacks.  
However, even this, from the Ad-  
ministration standpoint, is not so  
cheering as it might be, inasmuch  
as it was immediately claimed, by  
a Senator, that the White House  
had issued only flattering parts of  
the report, had squelched all the  
criticism the original contained.

Unheard from—as it has no cen-  
tral organization through which to  
speak—is little business which, in  
the aggregate, in the biggest busi-  
ness of all. The corner grocery store  
doesn't look like much when stack-  
ed up against U. S. Steel—but ten  
thousand corner grocery stores do.

Attitude of little business toward  
the New Deal is strictly a matter  
of opinion. This much can be said,  
from a digest of a wealth of com-  
ment—it does not think so much of  
the Administration as it used to, is  
coming to believe that some of the  
measures to which it gave its un-  
animous support two years ago are  
not so good. The way little busi-  
ness finally swings may determine  
whether the Administration rises  
or falls—and may far outweigh the  
influences of super and middle-  
sized business combined.

President Roosevelt wants the  
NRA extended for two years by  
Congress. But he recently told a  
Senator that he would not oppose  
even a ten-months' extension.

Result: The Senate Finance Com-  
mittee has approved a draft of a  
resolution which, in the words of  
one commentator, "offered an emas-  
culated Blue Eagle less than ten  
months to flutter to its grave."

The resolution would extend NRA  
to April 1, 1936, and would draw  
its teeth by eliminating all regula-  
tion of interstate business and all  
price-fixing, with the exception of  
mineral resource industries.

## WOMEN INTERESTED IN DIETS

Diets for over-weight, under-  
weight and constipation are taken  
up at the Good Nutrition for the  
Family meetings of the Farm Bu-  
reau which are being held through-  
out the county. Meetings on this  
subject are being held this week at  
Andover and West Paris.

Maximum feeding value is ob-  
tained by grazing grass in the  
young leafy state. If the stems are  
allowed to develop, a cow must con-  
sume more indigestible fibrous mat-  
ter to get the same amount of nu-  
trients.

## NEWS OF THE WEEK

—Continued from Page One—

### JUST A YEAR OLD

Corbell, Canada—In a week the  
Dionne Quintuplets celebrate their  
first birthday. Never have children  
of a year received more attention,  
more publicity more paternal gov-  
ernmental "mothering" than the  
five little girls who brought sur-  
prise to their parents, consterna-  
tion to Doctor Dafoe and fame to  
this little Canadian village. Elabo-  
rate plans are being made to broad-  
cast the event; presents are arriv-  
ing from all over the world; the  
town itself is in gala attire for the  
biggest celebration of its existence.

### THE KINGFISH AFTER BIG GAME

Baton Rouge, La.—Last March,  
in answer to a demand on the part  
of Maryland's Senator Millard E.  
Tydings as to his income during  
the preceding year, Senator Huey  
("Kingfish") Long promptly re-  
plied: "I made about \$25,000. I  
spent it on brass bands, football  
and drinks for my friends." If all  
goes well the "Kingfish" can this  
year hire more and bigger bands,  
buy more drinks, promote more  
football games. Because one of the  
Louisiana Dictator's newest moves  
was to have himself made Special  
Counsel to the State Tax Commis-  
sion. The job brings him one-third  
of all delinquent taxes he collects,  
on all additional assessments he  
levies, and on all taxes he gathers  
from property not on the rolls. His  
first target: a levy of \$319,000 on  
the Louisiana Central Lumber Com-  
pany; his whack, if successful,  
\$106,000. In the meantime, the Sen-  
ate buried for this session at least  
Huey's pet project: a Congression-  
al investigation of Postmaster-  
General Farley.

### BIG BROTHERS IN ROW

St. Louis—When Uncle Sam un-  
dertook to do what the late J. Pier-  
pont Morgan described as "un-  
scrambling eggs," by dissolving the  
Standard Oil Company into its con-  
stituent parts, S. O. of Indiana,  
drew as one of its sales territories  
the 14 midwestern states. This  
week motorists are able to buy gas  
from new local filling stations  
branding the "Esso" sign and plac-  
carded "Not connected with Stan-  
dard Oil Co. (Indiana)" Which  
meant that S. O. of New Jersey had  
invaded its big brother's field. S.  
O. (Indiana) promptly filed suit in  
Federal Court charging its one-  
time Eastern ally with an attempt  
to "appropriate . . . fraudulently  
and unfairly the good-will . . .  
and public confidence which the  
plaintiff has built up" during the  
past 40 years. Objection was made  
to the similarity in intent between  
the brand names "Esso" and "SO."  
Whichever wins, John D. Rockefel-  
ler Jr., and his interests own about  
the same proportion of both cor-  
porations: 13% in one, 14% in the  
other.

### AUTO PLANTS REOPENING

Detroit—By the end of the week  
20 automobile plants will have re-  
opened, putting 30,000 men back to  
work, thus ending the three-weeks'  
strike at Chevrolet's Toledo trans-  
mission factory, with sympathetic  
walk-outs at Norwood, Ohio, and  
Atlanta. Short as it was in dura-  
tion, this strike staggered the Au-  
tomotive Industry at its healthiest  
moment in five years. It dragged  
Chevrolet production from 28,700 a  
week down to 10,000; delivery fell  
behind 55,000 cars; the company  
lost \$5,000,000 in revenue, the men  
lost \$2,000,000 in wages. In settlement  
the company grants a minimum  
wage increase of four cents an hour  
instead of the 20 cents asked for;  
refused formal union recognition.

### NAZIS IMPRISON NUN

Berlin—The Nazi iron-fist closed  
on a Roman Catholic nun, senten-  
ced her to five years in prison; fined  
her 140,000 marks (\$56,364), and  
demanded of the order to which  
she belonged 252,000 marks (\$101,-  
455), that being the sum which she  
was accused of smuggling out of  
Germany. Sister Wernera was one  
of 50 Catholic nuns and priests  
sized last March, charged with  
evading the Reich's ban against the  
exportation of currency. Others  
await trial; if Sister Wernera can-  
not pay her fine, 14 months will be  
added to her sentence. The slim,  
pale-faced woman of 42, anxious to  
repay foreign advances to St. Vin-  
cent's Hospital, Cologne, secreted  
the sum named in her robes and de-  
posited it in Belgium. More than  
a third of it was destined to repay

part of a \$100,000 loan made by  
St. Louis, Mo., trust company. When  
sympathetic co-religionists tried to  
collect funds publicly to pay the  
Sister's fine, they were attacked by  
Nazi bands, their collection boxes  
confiscated.

### STRIKERS THREATENED NOR- MANDIE'S SAILING

Hayre, France—With the sailing  
of the 79,000-ton Normandie, larg-  
est steamship in the world in the  
balance, with American and British  
competitors steaming out of the har-  
bor with passengers already book-  
ed on the French liners Champlain  
and Lafayette, 2,000 strikers  
brought despair to the heads of  
French shipping interests. The  
men demanded old-age pensions,  
15-day vacations and yearly pay in-  
cluding time in port. The govern-  
ment, which pays the French Line a  
subsidy of \$10,000,000 a year, want-  
ed to see the Normandie arrive at  
New York on schedule. Large sums  
have been spent in advertising the  
event; finally the 1300 sailors ne-  
cessary to man her and their co-  
workers went back to work after  
pleading of Premier Pierre-Etienne  
Flandin.

### WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN RELIGION

New York—Two great religious  
denominations debated the question  
of women's rights during the week.  
Because women members of Episcop-  
alian vestries might block free  
discussion of moral questions, and  
also because "there would be no-  
thing to exclude her from the  
priest's office," the 152nd annual  
convention of the Episcopal Diocese  
of New York went on record as op-  
posing the election of women as  
"vestrymen." The Rabbinical As-  
sembly of the Jewish Theological  
Seminary at its annual meeting  
faced a more difficult question to  
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### ELECTRIC EEL DOES STUNTS

New York—This city's aquarium  
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## WITH THE POETS

To Our Readers—If there is an old song or poem which you cannot find and would like to see in print, write the Citizen. If we are unable to locate it possibly another reader can furnish it for publication.

THE TRUE ROOSTER  
Cincinnati Commercial Tribune

If you like the old town best  
Toll 'em so.  
If you'd have her lead the rest  
Help her grow.  
When there's anything to do  
Let the fellows count on you.  
You'll feel bully when it's through,  
Don't you know!

If you want to make a hit  
Get a name.  
If the other fellow's it  
Who's to blame?  
Spend your money in the town  
Where you pull the sheekles down.  
Give the man who kicks a frown.  
That's the game!

If you're used to giving knocks  
Change your style.  
Throw bouquets instead of rocks  
For awhile.  
Let the other fellow roast.  
Shun him as you would a ghost.  
Meet him hammer with a boast  
and a smile.

When a stranger from afar  
Comes along  
Tell him who and what we are.  
Make it strong.  
Needn't flatter; never bluff.  
Tell the truth, for that's enough.  
Join the boosters—they're the stuff!  
We belong.

## GRANDMOTHER'S COUNSEL

Grandmother says in her quaint old way:

"World wasn't made in a day—a day;  
And the blue sky where the white clouds sit—  
Why, the Lord was six days painting it!

The way isn't sunny;  
But don't you fret;  
Cheer up, honey—  
You'll get there yet."

Grandmother says in her quaint old way:

"World wasn't made in a day—a day;  
The meadow there, where you love to sit—  
Why, the Lord took time to carpet it!"

And still to me in the fields and dells  
Her sweet voice rings like a chime of bells,  
And I dream brave dreams as I hear her say:  
"World wasn't made in a day—a day.

The way isn't sunny;  
But don't you fret;  
Cheer up, honey—  
You'll get there yet."

## THE DEAD BLUEBIRD

Early this morn' he awoke me,  
Just at the break of day;  
Now as the day is dying  
His spirit has flown away.

All through the day he had warbled,  
So happy and free from care,  
Now cold and stiff and lifeless  
The poor little bird lies there.

He sang as he sat on the treetop,  
A song of love and praise;  
A boy came by with an arrow  
To the treetop his arm he raised.

None knew just how it happened  
His maker alone saw him fall;  
His voice grew still and silent  
And a quiet fell like a pall.

His life was short but happy,  
He brought both light and cheer;  
And we'll long remember the music  
Of the little song bird dear.

## SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK REPORT

Week of May 20, 1935

Grade	Savings Bank Total	%
I	1.00	2.45
II*	1.00	1.85
III	2.00	2.20
IV	1.00	2.05
	\$5.00	\$8.55
	Grammar School	
V	1.00	1.80
VI	1.00	1.50
VII	1.00	1.70
VIII	2.00	2.20
	\$6.00	\$7.00

First and Sixth have banners.

## RESOLUTIONS OF ESTEEM ON THE DEATH OF RENA LANE OF UPTON GRANGE NO. 401.

Whereas, it has pleased our Divine Master in his infinite wisdom to remove from our midst Sister Rena Lane, who has been a helpful, willing worker in the Grange for many years, and

Whereas, she was a good neighbor and a woman of honesty and integrity, not only has the Grange, but the Community also, lost a good citizen.

Therefore, he it resolved, that as we shall no more have her hearty co-operation, we shall ever treasure the memory of her virtues.

Resolved, that the family of the deceased has the sympathy of the Order in their sad bereavement.

Bertha L. Judkins  
Cedric A. Judkins  
Muriel Barnett  
Committee on Resolutions

## UPTON

A. W. Judkins is very ill in the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. A. E. Allen, who has been operated on for appendicitis at the Rumford Community Hospital last Wednesday is getting along fine.

Mrs. Colon Fuller is ill.

Fred Colcord of Exeter, N. H., is building a garage near his summer camp.

S. D. Lewis of Newport, N. H., is building a new camp near his old one.

H. P. Tucker and some of his relatives of Needham, Mass., spent the week end at his summer camp and caught two fish.

Kenneth Burnham and friends of Hopedale, Mass., spent the week end at Mrs. Nutting's cottage on the shore of Lake Umbagog.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gullow of Boston spent the week end at their camp on Back Street.

Miss Hamlin, a teacher in the Junior High School in Errol, N. H., and five of her pupils attended the Farm Bureau meeting here last Friday.

The Farm Bureau meeting was held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Judkins. The subject was "Good Nutrition for the Family" which was well presented by Miss Callaghan, H. D. A. Dinner was served at noon to twelve women, three men, and three children.

The Farm Bureau held a whist party, with four tables in play, at the home of Mrs. C. A. Judkins, on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Bertha Judkins went to Rumford Sunday evening to stay with her husband in the hospital. J. J. Willard is working on the Magalloway-Oquossoc road.

## EAST STONEHAM

Charles Merrill and his mother, Mrs. James Merrill, were in Lewiston to see Mrs. Irving Morey and baby girl, who are at the C. M. G. Hospital.

Mrs. A. J. Anderson and Mrs. W. F. Wilson of Amesbury, Mass., are at Mrs. Anderson's camp for a few days.

Rev. Rensel Colby of South Paris preached the Knights' Memorial sermon, Sunday, at East Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams of Bridgton, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bartlett and son Melvin of North Bridgton, also Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bickford, Stoneham, were Sunday guests of Blanche McKeen.

Wilma Warren and Philip Taylor spent Saturday evening with John Files, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Barker were in South Paris Sunday to get plants for their rock garden.

William Walker lamed one of his horses quite badly while plowing Thursday. So farming at Stoneham is at a standstill for a while as his team is the only available one in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Files are both quite sick with colds. Adrian Stearns is also on the sick list.

Mrs. Adrian Stearns, who works at Farmington, N. H., was at her home here over the week end.

George Stephenson and his housekeeper, Miss Murphy, moved to his camp at West Lovell, Sunday.

Mrs. Chester Rowe, who has been in the State Street Hospital, Portland, for the past two weeks came home Sunday.

Rats may be poisoned without danger to children or domestic animals by use of red squill. Some commercial rat poisons are made of squill.

## Rat Deadly Enemy

The rat is one of man's deadliest enemies, as it has spread bubonic plague throughout the world for more than 2,000 years and has been responsible for more untimely deaths than all the wars in history. This dread disease, writes Freling Foster, in Collier's Weekly, transmitted to man by bites of the rat's infected fleas, has killed an average of 2,800 persons every day since the birth of Christ.

## Indian Bible Oldest

The first Bible published in America was printed in the Indian language after the translation of the missionary John Eliot. It was issued in 1663, more than a century before part of the book was published in English in 1777. A few years later, in 1782, a complete English version was issued in Philadelphia.—Pathfinder Magazine.

## Muskrat Musk

Muskrat musk is a secretion nature has put in these little animals bearing the name. The musk is found in two small sacs on the belly. During the spring of the year these sacs contain several drops of thick, sweet smelling fluid. It is a very powerful, sweet odor, and it is attractive to all fur-bearing animals. It is not found on the animals during the fall months.

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## For Death to Wash Scythe

In some of the remote villages of eastern European countries, the peasants, when a death occurs, immediately place a large tub of water outside the front door so that death may wash his scythe when he leaves.—George Polhamus, Toledo, Ohio, in Collier's Weekly.

## Can Have Four Nationalities

A baby can have four nationalities. This unique situation arises when it has a Turkish mother and a French father and is born on a British commercial ship in American territorial waters, says J. N. McCanna, San Francisco, Calif., in Collier's Weekly.

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# Golden Dawn

By  
**Peter B. Kyne**

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## CHAPTER IX

ON his return to his office McNamara found in his mail a photograph of Lanny, indorsed: "To old Dan—from his partner in crime—Lanny." While he was gazing upon it and telling himself how justice the portrait did the subject Stephen telephoned, advising that he come to the of-

any was in tears. "I've just another visit from Mrs. Mer-Dan," Stephen began. "It is that after two years of in-ity, during which time she had to believe Penelope Gatlin, she has developed a crazy no-to prove it. She wants to get elope's fortune."

He questioned her about her ghter?" "Yes, but she doesn't know it," Stephen. "I hypnotized her first spent an hour questioning her, it appears that this morning visited your captain of detec- and asked him to throw out a net to locate Penelope Gatlin, brought him some snapshots of girl—told him her real name—about her money—the girl's ts and peculiarities—every- out. When I'd discovered enough Lanny in tears, I awakened Merton and sent her away by, but with this command planted in her subconscious—she must not think of the e Penelope Gatlin. When I ened her I asked her if she an adopted daughter. She re- surprised, that she had. I asked her the name of this ted daughter—and a look of r came over her face. For the of her she couldn't think of e and begged me not to men- it if I knew it."

"It's a pity you didn't think of that before she went to the tive bureau with her informa- McNamara cried, and called the Security Trust company. The captain of detectives has Flynn and Angellotti on the he announced dreadingly when and hung up, "and Flynn has al- been to the bank, making in- es. When he presented his entials the cashier showed him thing. They'll identify that as Nance Belden, trace her to as readily as I did, and the ch government will be notified Penelope is an escaped convict. will immediately deport her Flynn will meet her at Hobo-

ut can't you do anything about an?" Lanny pleaded. "Nothing! Flynn and Angellotti in the trail officially now." He d at Lanny tragically. "I'm of the picture now and can do g but advise you. Send two one to Nance Belden in and the other to Penelope at the same address. Say: at once—Lanny dying—ame vessel on which leav- and sign it 'Steve.' meet her at the dock," Ste- decided. "I'm due in New next week."

"I'll do nothing of the sort," Dan. "I'll send that convict house." He shuddered and ed in his distress. "I could e the wop with money, but has sworn an oath! And be- I've made a monkey out of e'll keep it. He'd rather a monkey out of me now than o great riches—and if I'm most likely the captain of es will step into my shoes, an will stand a good chance eing captain of detectives. uration, Lanny darling, ou a little while in the I'm faint, so I am."

"You're suffering from heart you egg," Lanny cried sav- "Yes! A weak heart, a soft a human heart." "That cable," he roared. "Get busy, Lanny," Stephen

urged. "The bird of time has but a little way to flutter—and the wretched fowl is on the way."

After Dan McNamara had left his office, Doctor Stephen Burt gazed with mild disapproval upon Lanny.

"Unlike you and Dan McNamara," he said, "I dislike having the peaceful tenor of my life disturbed. You and Dan love a fight for its own sweet sake, but I do not. I have a particular aversion to grand jury indictments, and it is a possibility you and your boy friend have let me in for."

"Fiddlesticks!" "Lanny, I'll be angry with you in a minute. Now, listen to me, and whatever you do, do not talk back. Dan McNamara has run out on us. I mean you. He's through. Dan's rattled. If he hadn't been he'd never have ordered the sending of such a fool cablegram."

"Dan McNamara knows his way about," Lanny defended. "He's more than nine years old." "So do I, Lanny. It will be high-ly dangerous to send that cable-gram. How is she to know it isn't a message to decoy her back to the penitentiary? If she receives it while she's Penelope Gatlin, she is extremely liable to cable for confirmation before acting on it. That would mean a delay of not less than twenty-four hours. On the other hand, if she is Nance Belden when she receives it, she will leave Paris openly and walk right into the hands of the New York police. I'm not much of a detective, but tonight I'm a better one than that McNamara idiot."

He drew a sheet of paper toward him and commenced writing, while Lanny glowered at him. Presently he sat up and read:

"Grave danger stop beat it some other country traveling by motor stop upon arrival cable address stop if need funds will cable them stop leave Paris establishment going concern stop go out for walk and disappear stop unless these instructions followed you leave trail for persecutors to follow."

"Mac." Lanny relented. "You might make a detective, at that."

With Dan McNamara definitely out of the fight, Stephen felt lonely and apprehensive. He wondered why the girl had fled to Paris in the face of Dan McNamara's instructions to flee to Lower California, to enter which no passport is required. He asked Lanny.

"Oh, that's no mystery, Stevie. I brought home from the office, intending to show it to Dan, an article by a celebrated plastic surgeon of Paris. Penelope read it with great interest. She went to Paris to consult this French plastic surgeon and also to have samples of her new nose drawn by a competent artist."

Instantly Something Clicked in His Brain and He Knew He Was on the Trail of Nance Belden Again!

When the captain of detectives called in Detective Sergeant P. Flynn and related to him the tale told to him by Mrs. Rudolph Merton, Flynn gave no sign of being particularly interested. Carefully and methodically he arranged in his mind the facts as stated, and when he left the presence of his superior, all he knew was that he was to strive to recover a lost heiress by

name Penelope Gatlin, and that she had a nose that should make her recognizable anywhere.

After nine hours of refreshing slumber, Flynn proceeded to ponder the case of Penelope Gatlin of the saddle nose. "I seem to be getting my fill of girls with saddle noses who disappeared mysteriously," he decided lazily—and instantly something clicked in his brain and he knew he was on the trail of Nance Belden again. An heiress, eh? McNamara had hinted at powerful influences back of Nance Belden, and she certainly must have hired the expert help she had had in her escape from San Quentin penitentiary.

"McNamara knows who she is," Flynn decided. "He's getting his— in chunks—for helping her. I'll bet it's the same girl."

Employing identically the same means McNamara had employed, he traced Penelope Gatlin to Paris within three days. But he had now to prove that Penelope Gatlin and Nance Belden were one and the same person, so he interviewed the United States marshal, who secured for him one of the girl's passport photographs. Armed with this, Flynn crossed the bay to San Quentin.

"Is that Nance Belden?" he asked the matron. "That is Nance Belden," was the reply.

Flynn was somewhat irritated. He knew Penelope Gatlin was at 27 Rue St. Honore, Paris, but he did not know that Nance Belden was! Suddenly it occurred to him that he had had an official interview with everybody connected with this mysterious case, except Dr. Stephen Burt.

"You're a long time getting around to see me, Sergeant," Stephen charged, and indicated a large, comfortable armchair.

"I called on you once, Doctor, but you didn't know it. That was the night after Nance Belden escaped from San Quentin. Me an' my partner trailed you to the chief's house."

Flynn, with great deliberation, produced Penelope's photograph. "Do you know the lady?" he queried.

"I think I do, Sergeant."

"Who is she?" "Is there any reason why I should express an opinion?" "Not unless you choose to be good-natured. I suppose you know you're in Dutch for aiding and abetting an escaped convict."

"Well?" "Naturally we don't want to make the going hard for a man of your standing," Flynn continued.

"Dan McNamara is my friend."

"Well, Mac is out of it. He can't protect you because he must protect himself. It might interest you to know that Nance Belden and a lost heiress, Penelope Gatlin, are the same person, and I have the Paris police watching her right now."

"Are you quite certain the girl is still at that Paris address?" asked Stephen.

"I know it."

"I know she isn't—and the Paris police do not know where she is."

"Do you?" "No, but if I did I wouldn't tell you."

They looked at each other searchingly, then both laughed. "I see there ain't much use pumpin' you, Doc," Flynn admitted. "Well, a fellow can't be ruled off for trying."

"When were you to see a doctor last?" "At the age of twenty-two. Why?" "How old are you?" "Forty-two."

"Well, just to prove I'm friendly I'll give you a quick physical examination. It may save you a fee later from some other physician. Mind if I give you a quick look-see?"

"Go to it," said Flynn.

Stephen tested Flynn's heart action and lungs and took his blood pressure.

"You're up thirty-six points," he told him. Flynn was distinctly perturbed. "What does that mean?" "It means that you have a fairly well developed case of hardening of the arteries. If you were to be re-examined physically, for promotion, you might be retired on pension."

"I couldn't afford that," cried Flynn. "I've got a wife and five children."

"Nevertheless, I would suggest you apply for a six months' leave of absence and have me treat you. How's your eyesight?"

"Grand," P. Flynn mumbled. "I doubt it, Sergeant. I'll bet you a hundred dollars you cannot look into this little mirror fifteen minutes without averting your gaze. Want to earn the hundred?"

"I can't afford that much of a bet, Doc."

"Well, then, we'll not bet, but if you can I'll give you a hundred dollars."

Stephen produced a hand mirror and held it two feet in front of Flynn and about six inches above the level of his glance. He took out his watch. "Go!" he said. "And remember I'm watching you. If you get through this test successfully there's hope for your arteriosclerosis."

P. Flynn grinned and gazed. In three minutes the effort oppressed him. Stephen's voice reached him as from a distance.

"You are going to sleep, Sergeant. You're going to sleep, I tell you—to sleep."

"I'm not," Flynn protested drowsily, just as his eyes closed and his head fell forward on his breast.

Stephen's soft hands stroked the detective's brow. "Why did you call to see me?"

"To get you to identify the photograph," Flynn's voice was faint.

"Why was that necessary?" Flynn hesitated, struggled a little, but lay back quietly again as Stephen's facile hands resumed their light massaging. "Are you going to oppose me, Sergeant?"

"No, Doctor."

The tones were dead and lifeless, for Flynn slept a hypnotic sleep.

"Why was it necessary that I should identify the photograph?" "I've got to know before I act, Doctor. The matron at San Quentin says it's Nance Belden, but the photograph is on the passport of Penelope Gatlin."

"That name, Penelope Gatlin, is bad luck," Stephen warned. "Never repeat it to a human soul. If you do it may mean your death. And your oldest child will be kidnapped, tortured and killed."

"Oh, God, no!" Flynn cried out in agony.

## TEN FAVORITE HYMNS

The Fifth One

Nearer, My God, to Thee  
Sarah F. Adams

Nearer, my God, to Thee,  
Nearer to Thee!  
Even though it be a cross  
That raiseth me;  
Still all my song shall be,  
Nearer, my God, to Thee,  
Nearer, my God, to Thee,  
Nearer to Thee!

Though like the wanderer,  
The sun gone down,  
Darkness be over me,  
My rest a stone;  
Yet in my dreams I'll be  
Nearer, my God, to Thee,  
Nearer, my God, to Thee,  
Nearer to Thee!

## SOUTH ALBANY

Robert Hill is working for W. G. Fiske with his team.  
Hugh Stearns spent the week end at W. B. Cummings'.  
Ivan Kimball was a week end guest of Herman Morse.

Rev. W. I. Bull preached at Albany Sunday.

The opening Circle at Albany was a success in every way, another Circle May 31st.

A. R. Clark was a business visitor in town and attended the Circle.

E. E. Crosse from South Portland was an over night guest of his cousin, Mrs. Hazel Wardwell, Thursday night.

Raymond Langway is working for F. E. Scribner.

Walter Canwell has had a very sick horse. It seems a little better at this writing.

Merton Kimball was through this place Friday with his meat cart.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Morey (Elsie Merrill) are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter May 17 at the C. M. G. Hospital, named Rita Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis McAllister are spending some time at David McAllister's.


Harry Spring has been spending a short vacation in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Hobson from North Waterford called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell Friday evening.

Miss Ellen Jolikko was a guest of friends in Bethel over the week end.

Ivan Kimball is cutting wood for Eugene Andrews.

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## FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—1 One-Horse Farm wagon with body, spring tooth harrow, cultivator. H. B. LOWELL, R. F. D. 2, Bethel. 7p

**FOR SALE**—Pigs, four weeks old May 25, also one Jersey cow. STEPHEN ABBOTT, Bethel, Me. 7

**FOR SALE**—Young pigs, Green Mountain seed potatoes, Maine 340 seed oats. Average yield of oats last year 70 bu. per acre. G. K. HASTINGS & SONS, Bethel. 4t

**FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE**—RCA Radiola complete 6-tube battery set. E. P. LYON. 2t

## MISCELLANEOUS

**TO RENT**—Eight room house, barn, and 60 foot henhouse, three acres of land, running water, electric lights, in West Bethel village. Inquire E. C. ALLEN, Bethel, Maine. 9p

**PIANO TUNING**—H. L. WHITE will be in Bethel early in June. Orders with F. J. Tyler or write Box 6, Auburn, Me. 8p

**WANTED**—Rent in Bethel. Small rent with bath and lights, prefer downstairs but would consider others. Write Box 666, Portland, Me. 12p

**Middle Aged Widower Wants** to work for woman on farm. No liquor or tobacco. Moderate wages or partnership basis. Address W. Citizen Office. 8

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## NATURAL FORCES AID BUSINESS RECOVERY

By R. S. HECHT  
President American Bankers Association

ALTHOUGH, as official studies of business conditions show, business is still far from having struck its full stride,



R. S. HECHT

nevertheless, I believe that it is undoubtedly true that the natural economic processes which have always brought the nation out of a slump are now and have been for some time steadily at work laying the foundations for more active business conditions.

I believe that there is growing a broader public perception that the people of this country must make their own prosperity and not wait for the Government at Washington to make it for them. In other words, the normal economic vigor and vitality of the United States is slowly but inevitably bringing recovery.

Like a doctor, the administration can help nature. But the fundamental healing processes will come from natural causes and not from political remedies. Despite the slackening of business now apparent, despite expressions of disappointment we hear from various quarters, nevertheless I am confident that these fundamental healing processes, if not spectacular, are none the less surely at work.

Gradually our business leaders are showing greater confidence in the future and are assuming a more forward looking position. I firmly believe that if we will make up our minds to replace fear-psychology with confidence-psychology the results will fully justify such a new attitude.

## Fabulous Wealth Comes to Boothblack



Michael Bellotti, who for 25 years has been shining em up at his boothblack stand at Harrison, N. J., has just received notice that he and his brother have been named heirs to a \$5,000,000 estate left by an uncle in Argentina. Mike refuses to quit business, until he sees the money.

## Thimbles, Ancient Device, Long Known to Old World

Thimbles did not come into general use in England until the latter part of the Seventeenth century. The little device was known to the Egyptians and Romans, for articles of a similar pattern have been found among Egyptian ruins, and the Romans, according to Seneca, performed the "find the little pea" trick with the brass or bronze ancestor of the modern thimble.

The first machine-made thimbles were turned out in Holland in 1693, by John Lofting, a Dutch inventor to whom the patent was granted. Silver and gold were the materials first employed, and only the well-to-do could afford to buy them. Later when they were made of cheaper metal, practically everybody used them. The name which the Dutch first gave them, translated literally, meant "finger-hood." The English, however, soon supplied their own name of "thumb-bell," derived from the bell-like shape of the little article and from the early practice of wearing it on the thumb to ward off the point of the needle.

About 250 years ago the quaint custom sprang up of inscribing verses and forget-me-nots inside the thimble, and it is said that in those days the thimble served the same tender purpose as the engagement ring of today. Leather thimbles were at one time introduced, but soon proved themselves unsatisfactory.

## BANKERS' ASSOCIATION STIMULATES ADVERTISING

The American Bankers Association's Advertising Department reports rapid progress of the use by banks of the informative bank newspaper advertising prepared by it for members to assist them in rebuilding public confidence and good will in their communities.

The central theme of this advertising service deals with the "essential line of economic and social service that all sound banking inherently renders the depositor and the public," the report says, showing that "it is not banking laws which make banking useful and safe, but that it is honesty and skill in management under private initiative."

The Advertising Department is supplying about a thousand members of the association with newspaper and other advertising material. The newspaper material totals about 50,000 advertisements annually. The growth of the work of the department is shown by the following figures: On September 1, 1934, the number of banks being served regularly each month was 523. The total number on April 1, 1935, was 524, an increase of 301 regular subscribers, or 49 per cent.

## Noes and Noses

By D. A. McVICKER

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"NO" said Betty.

Her sister looked at her in despair. There are "Noes" and "Noses" just as there are noses and noses. Betty had one of the loveliest of noses, short and just the least bit upturned. She had also one of the firmest of "Noes."

Her sister Virginia who was little and cooing and sweet, looked in griefed surprise at this haughty, tipsy Betty. Virginia was happily married to the grandest man in the world and she saw no reason why every girl shouldn't be happily married, too. And as Betty had a chance at the second best man alive, she certainly shouldn't be standing there and saying "No" in that heartless way.

For Betty and her Chuck had quarreled. Not the cheery, fun-to-make-up sort of quarrel, but the hard, unyielding one.

And then a ring had changed hands—not as it had a month ago, going on a small white finger. But flung out at a firm brown hand that had clapped it into a pocket. Since then, Betty hadn't sung about the house, and Chuck—there just wasn't any Chuck.

Virginia couldn't stand it. "You were both wrong, of course," she said. "You shouldn't have said Chuck didn't know what he was talking about—even if he didn't. And Chuck shouldn't have said women haven't any sense—even if they haven't. But you know how stubborn he is, Betty. If you'd just let him see you're sorry—"

"No," said Betty. "Betty," Virginia coaxed, "you've said you had such a happy time visiting me. You said you'd go anything on earth for me. You said I had only to ask a favor of you and you'd grant it."

This was a rather unkind reminder, for it had been in the glorious flush of her engagement to Chuck that Betty had made that promise. Now she spoke stiffly.

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## CROCKETT'S GARAGE

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Bethel, Me.

"I will be glad to do anything on earth but that, Virginia."

Now brains weren't becoming to Virginia's style, so she always carefully concealed the fact that she had any. But once in a while when she dared let them have free rein, she looked as she did now. Wicked. "Well," she said, "will you make the salad for dinner for me? Bob likes it made just exactly by my recipe—and I have an errand downtown. Will you do that for me?"

From sorrows to salads is a quick leap, and Betty blinked. She even looked a little taken aback at this matter-of-fact interpretation of her offer. But she nodded slowly. "I'm not much of a cook," she said. "But I'll try. Give me exact directions."

She was planted by the window, right where the sun could shine directly on her pretty face and was busily chopping away when Virginia came out of the house, trim in ascotied scarf and tilted beret. A little dimple showed at the corner of her chin and she laughed softly as she hurried off.

Chuck looked a little surprised when this sister of his ex-fiancee hailed him as he came out of his office, but he stopped politely, looking at her out of stormily unhappy dark eyes.

"Just the person I wanted to see," she told him. "Bob wanted me to ask you very particularly if you'd go over to our garage before dinner, and get the serial number of the car. He needs it for some trade he's thinking about."

If this was an odd request, Chuck was too miserable to think about it. He went off slowly, walking down the street and around the path that led to Bob's garage. It also led past the kitchen window.

That night at dinner, Bob took a mouthful of salad. Then he lifted his hand in surprise—

"Virginia—" he began.

But Virginia didn't hear. She was listening ecstatically to sounds outside the house—under the honeysuckle vine, to be exact. To two people who hadn't wanted any dinner—who had preferred to stay outside and look at the moon.

"Isn't it lovely, Bob," she said. "They're starting all over again."

"I know," Bob agreed. "It's fine. Chuck said he couldn't hold out a minute after he went past the kitchen window and saw Betty with tears streaming down her face and her cute little nose all red. He said as soon as he saw how unhappy he'd made her, his heart just turned to water. But Virginia—"

"Yes?"

"What in the world is in this salad? It tastes like solid onion. I like a flavor of onion in salad—but there must be all the onions in the Middle West in this one. What's the idea?"

Virginia smiled. She visualized the scene Chuck had come upon that afternoon—Betty, sitting in the kitchen window, her eyes streaming tears and her upturned nose scarlet—from peeling the dozens and dozens of tiny onions the improvised recipe called for.

"Just a little system of my own," Virginia laughed, taking away the salad plate and substituting a dish of fruit—"If you can't change a 'No' try changing a nose."

## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister  
Sunday, May 26th  
9:30 a. m. Sunday School,  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
Union Pre-Memorial Day Service  
the Methodist Church. Rev. Clifford will preach.  
6:30 p. m. The Comrades of Way.

Through the efforts of the Club the church debt has been reduced to \$65. It is hoped that balance may be paid by subscription. Will you not send or to your treasurer, Fred B. Meserve, whatever sum you feel that you give, and do so before June 1st.

## METHODIST CHURCH

P. J. Clifford, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Church School.  
Myrtle Lapham, Supt.  
11 a. m. Union Memorial Service  
Memorial Day, May 30, has many years been observed in memory of our hero dead—and to mind the living of the great that has been paid for our liberties.

Preceding Memorial Day Churches observe Memorial Sunday and all the citizens, patriotic societies, Scouts, and especially veterans of all wars are invited to attend.

This year the services are held at the M. E. Church, the pastor delivering the sermon and Rev. H. Wallace of the Congregational Church assisting. There will be special music including the hymn Normal School male quartet and we hope that Bethel may have her traditional patriotic spirit attending in large numbers.

No evening service. The Ladies attend the Oxford group at St. Paris, afternoon and evening.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Services Sunday morning 10:45.

"Soul and Body" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 26. Among the citations from the Bible is the following: "We confident, I say, and willing to be absent from the body, to be present with the Lord." (II Corinthians 5:8).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from Christian Science textbook, "Once and Health with Key to Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. "Sooner or later we shall find that the letters of man's finite capacity are forged by the ill that he lives in body instead of Soul, in matter instead of in spirit." (P. 223:3-6).

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

## Born

In Lewiston, May 17, to the wife of Irving Morey of Albany, a daughter, Rita Mae.

In Bethel, May 21, to the wife of Gilbert Brown, a son Carlton Gilbert.

## Married

In Portsmouth, N. H., May 21, Justice of the Peace Peter H. Ashby Tibbets of Bethel and Gilbert I. Massey of Brunswick.

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